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EO 11652: NA
TAGS: EINV GH
SUBJ: REQUEST FOR OPIC INSURANCE - LVOI - 641-77-151

REF: STATE 49417

1. COMMISSIONER (EQUIVALENT TO MINISTER) OF ECONOMIC PLANNING,
DR. ROBERT K.A. GARDINER, AS MEMBER OF NATIONAL REDEMPTION COUNCIL,
WOULD BE APPROPRIATE SENIOR GOG OFFICIAL TO PROVIDE "FURTHER
ASSURANCES" CITED REFTEL.
2. REFTEL IS FIRST EMBASSY HAS LEARNED OF \$500,000 COMMISSION
OR OVERRIDE. IF SUCH PRACTICE NOT CUSTOMARY IN PETROLEUM INDUSTRY
THEN PAYMENT COULD WELL BE QUESTIONED.
3. REFTEL QUERIES EMBASSY AS TO FAIRNESS OF CONCESSION AGREEMENTS
(COPIES STILL UNRECEIVED). OPIC IS BETTER JUDGE THAN EMBASSY,
WHICH HAS NO BASIS OF COMPARISON EITHER WITH PREVIOUS
CONCESSION TERMS IN GHANA OR CURRENT CONCESSION TERMS ELSEWHERE.
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Message Attributes

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